

# **CALL FOR POSTERS**

EAI International Conference on Innovations and Interdisciplinary Solutions for Underserved Areas

February 14-15, 2019 in Cairo, Egypt

Societies living in underserved areas face multifactorial problems — energy, water, climate, food, health, education, transportation, social development, economic growth, etc. — that are not amenable to separate single-discipline investigation but require collaboration between many types of expertise. Today, there is a consensus that the solutions of the problems facing people in underserved areas lie at the intersections of traditional disciplines. This is the essence behind **Interdisciplinary Solutions** (InterSol); an international conference dedicated to the advancement of interdisciplinary researches that address people's needs in underserved areas. It is intended (1) to encourage innovative interdisciplinary research, development and education that focus on solving problems in underserved areas, and (2) to create an international research and development community around "interdisciplinary solutions".

The third edition of the conference (InterSol2019) will be held on February 14-15, 2019 in Cairo, Egypt. This year's main topics include (but not limited to):

- Urban Development and Smart Cities: What for Africa?
- Agriculture, Food Security, Water Resources and Climate Change;
- Socio-Economic Development and Gender;
- Energy for Urban and Rural Areas;
- ICT as Enabler (for economic development, smart cities, energy, agriculture, etc.).

We invite PhD students to submit extended abstract of their research for poster presentation during the InterSol2019 Conference. This will offer a unique opportunity for students to share their work with an international audience. Students with accepted posters will be invited to submit a full paper to a special issue by "Scientific African- Elsevier". See submission details below

Deadline for Poster submission January 26th, 2019.

For more information, please visit the conference website: http://interdisciplinarysolutions.org/.





To join the Posters Track, prospective authors are invited to submit a 2-3 pages abstract using LNICST format: <a href="LNICST style and template">LNICST style and template</a> via EAI 'Confy' system at <a href="confy">confy</a>. Poster paper submissions must describe the research problem, contribution, and preliminary results. Posters will be peer-reviewed and will be selected on the basis of technical merit, novelty, and relevance to the InterSol community. Accepted posters will be presented in an interactive session at the conference.

Authors of full papers accepted to the main conference track are encouraged to take advantage of the poster as an opportunity to foster further discussion and exposure for their work. Poster submissions associated with an accepted full paper will undergo a fast-track peer review.

Please submit your poster by sending it to: assane1.gueye@uadb.edu.sn.

#### **NEW:** Social Events

### **Discover Egypt**

- Excursion to the pyramids and the citadel
- Dinner at the River Nile
- Excursion to Cairo's old town

#### **NEW:** AWARDS

InterSol2019 will be awarding:

- Best Poster
- Woman in Science



**INCLUDE** 

Workshop: "On the Intersection Between Fossil and Renewable Energies". (see more)



Open Remarks to be given by:

**Prof. Dr. Amr Adly**, Deputy Minister of Higher Education & Scientific Research for Univ. Affairs at Ministry of HE & Scientific Research

## **Invited Keynote Speakers**



**Prof. Dr. Federico Rosei**Directeur, Institut National de Recherche Scientifique / Centre Energie, Matériaux, Telecommunications (INRS-EMT),
Univ. Du Quebec, Canada

Title of Talk: TBD



Prof. Dr. Mohamed Abdel-Karim Salheen
Professor of Integrated Planning and Design, Urban Planning and Design Department,
Faculty of Engineering, Ain Shams University.
Title of Talk: TBD



Prof. Dr. Diaa A. M. KHALIL

Professor & Head of the ECE (Electronic and Communication Engineering) Department in the Faculty Engineering, Ain Shams University (ASU) Cairo, Egypt.

Title of Talk: TBD

